

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 2116

Docket No.: 1081.1178

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Tooru KITAGAWA

Serial No. 10/612,942

Group Art Unit: 2116

Confirmation No. 6654

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Examiner: RAHMAN, FAHMIDA

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METHOD FOR MANAGING COMPUTER HARDWARE CONFIGURATION

INFORMATION

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: BOX AF

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 29, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on October 29, 2007. A Petition for a two-month extension together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to November 29, 2007.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.